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Applicant : Campbell  
Filed : August 24, 2001  
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Customer No. : not applicable

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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**AMENDMENT B  
and  
REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action of November 25, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 11 of this paper.

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is AMENDMENT B and REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION in the above-identified application.

No fee required.

The claim fee has been calculated as shown below.

| CLAIMS AS AMENDED  |   |       |  |                         |                                  |                       |
|--|---|-------|--|-------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------|
|  | (2)<br>Claims<br>Remaining<br>After Amendment |       | (4)<br>Highest No.<br>Previously<br>Paid for | (5)<br>Present<br>Extra | (6)<br>Rate                      | (7)<br>Additional Fee |
| TOTAL CLAIMS   | 5   | Minus | 20   | 0 X                     | x 9.00<br>x 18.00                | _____                 |
| INDEPENDENT CLAIMS   | 5   | Minus | 5  | 0 X                     | x 43.00<br>x 86.00               | _____                 |
| Application Amended to contain any multiple dependent claims not previously paid for |   |       |  | ( ) Yes<br>(X) No       | x 145.00<br>x 290.00<br>ONE TIME | _____                 |
|  |   |       | TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE<br>FOR CLAIM CHANGES →  |                         |                                  | _____                 |

\* If the entry in column 2 is less than the entry in column 4, write "0" in column 5.

\*\* If the "Highest Number previously paid for" IN THIS SPACE IS less than 20, write "20" in this space.

- The Director is hereby authorized to charge our Deposit Account No. 50-1413 for the \_\_\_\_\_ fee.
- The Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees, which may be required, or to credit any overpayment to account No. 50-1413. In the event that any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the Patent and Trademark Office charges for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under 37 CFR 1.136 for any necessary Extension of Time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, please charge or credit our Deposit Account No. 50-1413. Further, if these papers are not considered timely filed, then a petition is hereby made under 37 CFR 1.136 for the necessary extension of time. A duplication of this sheet is enclosed.

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BY: Karl D. Kovach

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS CORRESPONDENCE IS BEING DEPOSITED WITH THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE AS FIRST CLASS MAIL IN AN ENVELOPE ADDRESSED TO: MAIL STOP NON-FEE AMENDMENT, COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS, P.O. BOX 1450, ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450 ON DECEMBER 4, 2003.

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